

August 24, 2004

BY OVERNIGHT MAIL

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
One South Station
Boston, MA 02110

Re: D.T.E. 04-1; Revised Responses to Information Requests

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company d/b/a/ Unitil ("Unitil"), please find a CD containing several Excel files. This material is being filed in response to a request from the Hearing Officer for additional information regarding requests DTE-FGE-1-6 through 1-11. In addition, an Excel file containing a corrected version of the response to DTE-FGE-1-5 is provided. Also attached are revised responses to DTE-FGE-1-8 and DTE-FGE-4-1 and 4-2.

With respect to request DTE-FGE-1-11, the original response is accurate and no data has been omitted. The data provided is reflective of the amount of switching activity which has occurred within Unitil's service area, and the few customers taking service from third party marketers.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Gary Epile

cc: Caroline M. Bulger, Hearing Officer (w/o CD)

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DTE's First Set of Document and Information Requests

Request No. DTE-FG&E-1-8

Please compute the median time period of marketers, serving the Company's service territory, during the period 1996 to present.

Response (Revised):

There were no marketers serving in the Unitil distribution area, prior to October, 1999.

From October 1, 1999 through November 30, 2000	Providence Energy
From December 1, 2000 to February 8, 2004	Amerada Hess
From January 19, 2001 to present	Sprague Energy
From August 9, 1999 to present	Select Energy
From January 16, 2001 to May 10, 2004	Adams Energy
From October 28, 2003 to present	Global Companies

The median time period that marketers have served the company service territory is 3.25 years.

Person Responsible: Richard MacInnis Date: August 23, 2004

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DTE's Forth Set of Document and Information Requests

Request No. DTE-FG&E-4-1

For the time period 2001 through 2004, please provide peak and off-peak variances between forecasted and actual usage for non-daily metered customers.

Response (Revised):

Peak and off peak variances revision						
Non Telemetered Date Ranges Customer's Rec ActualUsage		Recalculated Forecast (ATV)	Variance between Deliveries and Non Telemetered Usage			
May, 2001- Nov, 2001	14,073.00	13,954.00	-1%			
Nov, 2001- May, 2002	63,361.00	68,741.00	8%			
May, 2002- Nov 2002	17,008.00	22,928.00	26%			
Nov, 2002-May 2003	58,091.00	63,766.00	9%			
May, 2003- Nov, 2004	11,611.00	13,742.00	16%			
Nov, 2003- April 2004	27,166.00	21,937.00	-24%			

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DTE's Forth Set of Document and Information Requests

Request No. DTE-FG&E-4-2

Please provide variances between forecasted and actual usage for non-daily metered customers for the following time periods: May 2001-April 2004; Nov 2001-April 2004; May 2002-April 2004; Nov. 2002-April 2004; May 2003-April 2004; Nov. 2003-April 2004.

Response (Revised):

Date Ranges	Non Telemetered Customer's ActualUsage	Recalculated Forecast (ATV)	Variance between Deliveries and Non Telemetered Usage
May, 2001- April, 2004	191,310	205,068	7%
Nov, 2001- April, 2004	177,237	191,114	8%
May, 2002- April, 2004	113,876	122,373	7%
Nov, 2002-April 2004	96,868	99,445	3%
May, 2003- April 2004	38,777	35,679	-8%
Nov, 2003- April 2004	27,166	21,937	-19%

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